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In re application of: NEAL et al.

Attorney Docket No.: DEM1P009

Application No.: 10/007,002

Examiner: Ruhl, Dennis William

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Dear Examiner:

Applicant encloses herewith a Response to the Office Action mailed April 18, 2007. Any required fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	16	MINUS	30		x 25 =	x 50 = 0
Independent Claims	2	MINUS	2		x 100 =	x 200 = 0
One-Month Extension of Time Fee						\$120
					Total	\$120

- Applicant(s) hereby petition for a One (1)-month extension(s) of time within which to respond to the above-referenced Office Action.
- Enclosed is our Credit Card Payment Form authorizing the amount of \$120.00 to cover the additional claim fee and/or extension of time fees.
- Please charge any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 50-2766 (Order No. DEM1P009).

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT A

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 18, 2007, please amend the above identified patent application as follows:

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Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.